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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Clarke et. al)	Examiner: Andre K. Jackson
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Serial No.: 09/758,026)	Art Unit: 2856
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Filed: January 10, 2001)	Confirmation No.: 8117
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For: Seamless Pressure Vessel)	
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Attorney Docket No.: 17163/04093)	

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a three month extension of the statutory period for response to the Office Action mailed July 14, 2004. Enclosed is a check for \$510.00 to cover the three month extension of time to respond. Please charge any fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-0172. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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